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HOTTEST HERE FOR 14 YEARS

AVERAGE THIS MONTH HAS BEEN 95.4 DEGREES.

BUT 101.4 IN 1911

Last Night Perhaps Most Uncomfortable So Far This Year—Says Thundershowers Are "Possible."

With an average temperature thus far of 95.4 degrees, this month has been the hottest July since 1911, according to the records of J. R. Brink, official weather observer.

In 1911, the average for the first eight days in July was 101.4 degrees, setting a record as far as the month is concerned. The readings that year were as follows: July 1, 102; July 2, 103; July 3, 107; July 4, 107; July 5, 108; July 6, 92; July 7, 96; July 8, 96.

The readings so far this month have been as follows: July 1, 104; July 2, 97; July 3, 95; July 4, 86; July 5, 90; July 6, 96; July 7, 98; July 8, 97.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. Brink's thermometer registered 97 degrees. At the same time yesterday, the temperature was 96 and later climbing up to 98.

In spite of a light zephyr from the east, last night was perhaps the most uncomfortable so far this year. Porches and lawns were popular places for hopeful sleepers, and even there, little comfort was found.

Relief, in the way of thunder showers, is "possible," the weather man says.

The Sanitary Swimming Pool has been a popular place for the last several days. Although the crowds there have not been so large in the early afternoon, those seeking to cool themselves start flocking there about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and the pool is crowded to capacity in the evenings.

The water was cooled off today when several hundred pounds of ice were dumped into the pool.

Kansas City, July 8.—Two more prostrations were added to the heat toll during the morning when Mrs. Marie Ridelin was overcome while driving and her car crashed into a telephone pole, and R. P. Woodbury, for thirty-six years secretary of the Kansas City Stock Exchange, was overcome at his desk.

At noon, Woodbury was still unconscious.

The mercury here at 11 o'clock was 95 degrees.

Mrs. E. Blatter, 70, Years Old, Dies Today

Funeral Services Will Be Held at St. Mary's Friday Morning With Burial in St. Mary's Cemetery

Mrs. Elizabeth Blatter, 70 years old, widow of Theodore Blatter, died at 1:10 o'clock this morning at her home, 303 S. Saunders street, following an extended illness of a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Friday morning at St. Mary's Church, Father Lawrence officiating. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mrs. Blatter was born January 11, 1855, in Bavaria, Germany. She came to the United States when seventeen years old. She was married to Mr. Blatter at Springfield, Ill., January, 1875, and the following summer they located in Maryville. Mr. Blatter died January 22, 1920.

Surviving Mrs. Blatter are four children, Berthold F. and Anthony J. and Miss Anna Blatter, at home; and Willibald Blatter, Blair, Neb. One sister, Sister Rose, Sacred Heart Convent, Yankton, S. Dak., and two brothers, living in Germany, also survive.

The Blatter Meat Market will be closed Friday morning.

Golf Agrees With John D. Rockefeller

Multi-Millionaire Quietly Celebrates His Eighty-Sixth Birthday But Gets In His Daily Round.

Tarrytown, N. Y., July 8.—John D. Rockefeller is finding that golf is keeping him young.

The multi-millionaire celebrated his eighty-sixth birthday quietly on his estate but managed to get in his daily round of golf.

After his golf this morning, Mr. Rockefeller planned to have dinner with his family and in the afternoon to hear an organ recital at the First Reformed Church at Tarrytown.

GREW UP WITH NODAWAY COUNTY

Recently six of the finest young men, at least in spirit, of Nodaway County, gathered from the various parts and congregated at Barnard, where they betook themselves to a bench in front of the Farmers & Citizens Bank there to "talk over old times" together.

These residents of Nodaway County started to add up the combined age of the group and the net results were 500 years, or an average of 83 1-3 years for each man.

When the camera caught these men discussing everything to the time Nodaway County was in its infancy to political questions of the day, Joseph Skidmore, third from the left, was telling his esteemed friend, Lafe VanBriggle, what a fine man he would have been if he had only become a Democrat, as Mr. VanBriggle is the only Republican in the group.

These six represent the remaining few residents of Nodaway County that struggled with the soil and adversities when the country was being settled, and saw Northwest Missouri develop from a prairie to the richest agricultural section of the Middle West.

The men, reading from left to right, are:

Charles D. Hocker of Guilford, William Curnutt of Barnard, Joseph Skidmore of Guilford, Lafe VanBriggle of Maryville, J. C. Curnutt and N. W. Carmichael of Barnard.

At the time the picture was taken Mr. Hocker was visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. M. Pollard. Mr. Skidmore was visiting his son, Jim Skidmore and Mr. VanBriggle was about to return to Maryville after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Shipps.

Five hundred years old—and five hundred to go. Two of them are fondling canes and all wearing beards, but they all are not a bit behind the times.

PUBLICSCHOOLS COST $67,024

THAT AMOUNT SPENT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1925.

TEACHERS GET $46,585

Incidental Expenses Were $16,284.29—More Than A Year Ago On Account of Paving and Repairs.

The expenses of the public schools of Maryville for the year ending June 30, 1925, amounted to $67,024.30, according to the annual statement of E. E. Williams, treasurer of the school district, as made out to the school board.

Of the expenses $46,585 was paid out as salaries to teachers. Janitors at the various school buildings received $3,517.51, secretary to superintendent received $462.50; secretary and treasurer, $175; and incidental expenditures were $16,284.29.

As compared to the previous year, the expenses were increased $3,565.91. Of this increase, $1,545.40 were to the teachers, while the incidental expenditures were $2,166.79 more this year than the year before. Of the incidental expenses $751.34 was paid out for paving on West Thompson street at the Garfield school and $2,455 was expended for furnaces and steel ceilings at the school buildings. Janitors received this year $171.19 less than they did the year before.

The thirty-eight teachers of the public schools were paid from $3,300, the salary of the superintendent, down to $630.

The receipts of the year were $63,264.96 and the balance on hand June 30, 1924 was $13,768.19. The balance on hand at the end of June 30, this year, was $10,008.85.

In the free text book fund, the receipts from the county treasurer amounted to $1,059.66 and the balance on hand made $1,565.85. The expenditures for books were $1,417.17, leaving a balance of $148.68 on hand at the close of this year.

In the Washington bond sinking fund $4,000 was applied to taking up of four bonds during the year.

The bonded debt of the district is $59,000.

The statement will be published in Saturday's edition of the Democrat-Forum and Tribune.

Japanese Town Is Rocked by Tremors

One Man Is Killed, Several Injured and Some Buildings Are Destroyed At Nagoya.

Tokio, July 8.—Nagoya was shaken by another severe earthquake shock today which demolished several buildings, opened large fissures in the ground, killed one person, and resulted in the injury of several others.

DIST. LEGION MEETING HERE

FIRST PLANS ARE DISCUSSED BY LOCAL POST LAST NIGHT.

DATES ARE NOT MADE

Will Be Held in Advance of State Convention Which Is At Springfield, August 10-12.

Plans for the Fourth Congressional district Legion committee meeting, to be held here about two weeks before the state Legion department meeting, were discussed last night at a meeting of the James Edward Gray Post No. 100 of the American Legion.

As E. W. Gray is state committeeman this year the district committee meeting will be held in Maryville. At the time of the district meeting the James Edward Gray Post will be hosts to the delegates from this district. It is expected that at least two or three delegates from each Legion post in the Fourth Congressional district will be here to represent their posts.

The dates for the district meeting have as yet not been definitely decided, but it is expected they will be set soon, as the district meeting will have to be held at least two weeks in advance of the state department convention, which, this year will be held at Springfield, August 10-12.

In all probability plans will be made at the district meeting to get a full representation of the Legion in Northwest Missouri to go to the National Legion convention this fall.

The members of the local Legion post discussed the Endowment Drive that has been conducted here and some of the members volunteered to continue the drive for a few more days before a final check up is made.

Barn Destroyed by Fire Near Hopkins

A barn, 20x50, and owned by Jeffers & Mutti, five miles northwest of Hopkins, was destroyed by fire yesterday evening about 7 o'clock. The cause of the fire was spontaneous combustion. In the barn were some fifteen tons of old and some new alfalfa hay, 250 bushels of corn and some harness, which were destroyed. The contents and barn were fairly well covered by insurance. Walter Morehouse lives on this farm.

Carnival Shows for 1st Time Last Night

The Schwable-Wallick Shows, here under the auspices of the Maryville Merchants' Ball Club, played here for the first time last night at the old fairgrounds. The shows will be open every night the rest of the week. The company did not get started Monday night due to delay in equipment arriving here.

LET PICKERING ROAD JULY 24

WILL BE A CONCRETE PAVEMENT OF 9 FEET WIDE

4.669 MILES IN LENGTH

Joins on to Paved Highway North of Maryville—Road Will Be Built Yet This Year.

Sealed proposals for a concrete pavement 9 feet wide on the Maryville-Pickering road will be received by the State Highway Commission on July 24, according to a notice received today from B. H. Piepmeier, Jefferson City, chief engineer.

The notice to contractors states the proposed work includes grading, constructing culverts, a bridge and a concrete paving nine feet wide, together with any incidental work on the state road from Pickering to Maryville, the total length of the improvement being 4.669 miles. The road will join onto the paved highway at a point 2.1 miles north of Maryville, then one mile east and then north to a point known as the Cottonwood tree.

This is the first state road in Nodaway County to be nine feet wide. These roads are being built by the state highway commission in other places and it is the purpose in time to build the other half of the road. The nine-foot pavement will be on one side of the road.

Commissioners will be appointed by Judge John M. Dawson in circuit court Saturday to assess the damages if any, to the appropriation of land for this state highway from the farms of Ernest Bainum, et. al.; William Logan and Robert Rickard.

The Pickering road will be completed yet this year is the intention of the state department.

John D. McDonald Dies at Home Near Quitman

Had Lived on the Same Farm for 55 Years—Was 86 Years Old—No Arrangements for Funeral.

John Douglas McDonald, 86 years old, died this morning about 8 o'clock at his home eight miles west of Maryville. Mr. McDonald had been in ill health for a number of years and had been confined to his bed for almost the past four years.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Mr. McDonald lived on the farm where he died for fifty-five years. He was born in Kentucky and came to Missouri when he was 12 years old and lived near Skidmore before moving to his present farm. He was in the Civil War and received a bad wound in the right shoulder. About four years ago Mr. McDonald fell and hurt his right shoulder and never was able to be up again.

He is survived by four daughters, Misses Sallie and Laura McDonald at home, Miss Clara McDonald and Mrs. Roy Patman, Newton, Kan. Mrs. McDonald died about forty-five years ago. He is also survived by two brothers, T. S. McDonald of Maryville and J. M. McDonald of Quitman.

To Check List of Income Taxpayers

State Auditor Thompson Will Make Effort To Find Those Evading Missouri Tax Law.

Jefferson City, July 8.—State Auditor Thompson and four assistants will leave for St. Louis tonight to begin a recheck of state income tax returns. Thompson said the list of those who made returns on the basis of the state tax would be checked against the list made under the federal income tax law.

The recheck is made possible by the new law passed by the recent state assembly, permitting the auditor to inspect and check returns. The new law becomes effective tomorrow.

Holt County Men Win Suit in Justice Court

A jury in the justice court of Judge Warren L. Johnson found for the plaintiffs in the sum of $134.40 in the case of Willie Smith and Harry Larson against C. A. McCoppin and Alva J. Cox.

The plaintiffs, who live in Holt County were suing for the collection of a threshing bill, which they claimed was due them last year. This morning the defendants had made no move to appeal the case.

DIDN'T HIRE R. D. BRUNJES

NEVER SOUGHT AS COUNSEL FOR CHARLES F. McCAFFREY

EMPLOYS LOCAL MEN

Ozark Attorney Is Not Known Here—Attorney Fees Paid and Back Pay Is Spent.

"Richard D. Brunjes, attorney at Warsaw, Mo., never was counsel, nor did anybody ever seek advice from him," said Ellis G. Cook this afternoon, one of the attorneys for Charles F. McCaffrey, in regard to an article in yesterday's issue of the Democrat-Forum and Tribune, stating that Mr. Brunjes had atempted to file a lien in the county court on the salaries of former prosecuting attorney, Charles F. McCaffrey.

Mr. Cook, in an interview today, said that "at the time Mr. McCaffrey decided to institute his proceeding against the county court he employed members of his own bar to assist him. Cook & Cummins, E. E. Williams and himself were employed to take charge of this case. L. C. Cook prepared all the papers and conducted the hearing before Judge John M. Dawson."

After the case was appealed to the Supreme Court Mr. McCaffrey and his counsel prepared their briefs and Mr. Cook stated that he presented the case at the first hearing in division one of the Supreme Court. Also said Mr. Cook, upon the hearing of the case in the Court en Banc, Attorney General Barker of Kansas City presented the case at the last hearing.

"This fellow Brunjes, who lives somewhere in the Ozark Mountains, is not known by any member of this bar or do they want to know him," Mr. Cook went on to say.

Mr. Cook said 'at one time Brunjes wrote Mr. McCaffrey, and the letter is among our files, wanting Mr. McCaffrey to contribute to him 10 per cent of Mr. McCaffrey's salary, whereupon Mr. McCaffrey in return wrote him, and this letter we also have on file, in which Mr. McCaffrey informed Mr. Brunjes that he had attorneys to look after his case and his matters and that he did not need any of his assistance and that is the last that Mr. McCaffrey has heard of him until informed by the county court of this lien."

Mr. Cook further said he was under the impression that if the present prosecuting attorney ever desired a lawyer he would go somewhere else besides the Ozark Mountains to get one.

Mr. Cook concluded by saying that "Mr. McCaffrey's salary was paid to him by the county court and that by this time it has been spent and that Mr. McCaffrey has further paid all fees due to lawyers except local attorneys who refused to charge him and rendered their services gratituously."

R. M. Barry, Jr. Is Named Rural Carrier

Raymond M. Barry, Jr. has been appointed permanent rural carrier on Route 5 out of Maryville, effective July 16. Mr. Barry will succeed Bennett French, who has been serving as temporary carrier on this route.

Sounds Out Powers on Treaty Conference

American Minister to China Endeavoring to Ascertain Advisability of Holding Meeting.

Washington, July 8.—Under instructions from Secretary Kellogg, John B. MacMurray, American minister to China, is sounding out the representatives of the powers at Peking on the advisability of holding a conference for the revision of Chinese treaty relations with foreign nations.

It was stated here today that on MacMurray's report to Kellogg will depend the next step of this government in getting the conference organized.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Woods and children of Ravenwood are visiting Mrs. Woods' sister, Mrs. Fred Winnell, and family, and her mother, Mrs. M. P. Gingrich, at Wilcox.

Return From Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Littler returned today from a several weeks' visit with relatives at Colorado Springs and other points in Colorado.

High Incomes Would Profit by Reduction

Coolidge And Mellon Believe More Revenue Can Be Obtained By Slash In Surtaxes.

Swampscott, Mass., July 8.—A new administration drive to educate the general public to the need for drastic reduction in the higher income tax brackets was under way today, personally directed by President Coolidge from his summer White House.

The President and his financial aide Secretary Mellon, believe that larger revenue actually will be derived if the surtax burden is lessened, and although both favor a general downward revision, it is the higher levels they primarily are concerned with.

New surtax reduction as low as 12 per cent is contemplated. The present rate is 40 per cent.

FREED, THEN IS ARRESTED

FOREST HANNA SPRINGS SURPRISE AT TRIAL.

IS NOTABLE CHARGES

Garvey Case Has Been Discussed By Legislature And Heard In State Supreme Court.

Kansas City, July 8.—A sudden and dramatic courtroom scene, in which Senator James A. Reed was one of the leading characters, the state this morning dismissed the murder charge against Roy B. Garvey, accused of killing his father, James W. Garvey, wealthy lumberman, and while Senator Reed, chief counsel for the defense, shouted to stop the proceeding, Garvey was re-arrested in court on a new information charging him with the murder.

The state asked that the trial on the new information be set for next Monday.

The unexpected action of Forest Hanna, county prosecutor, was the culmination of three years delay in bringing Garvey to trial, which was carried even to the State Legislature, the Supreme Court, and which further marked the opening of the trial Monday.

With the defense seeking delay at first the state suddenly sought to have the trial go over until Monday, as the present jury panel, believed unfriendly to the state, would cease to exist at midnight Saturday.

When court opened this morning, Hanna immediately anounced that the state dismissed the charge. Reed was on his feet at once, but before he could protest the state's attorney had called on the sheriff and ordered him to serve a new capias.

Since the killing, September 6, 1922, charges of witnesses changing their story, disappearance of witnesses, and efforts to influence prospective jurors, have been frequently made.

Relief Fund After Glasgow's Big Fire

Hundred Families Are Without Homes And Damage Estimated At Five Million Dollars Is Caused.

Glasgow, Scotland, July 8.—A relief fund for the homeless of a hundred tenement houses destroyed in Glasgow's five million dollar fire, was started today while firemen were still combatting the flames.

The fire was under control today after destroying Kelvin Hall, the exhibition buildings, and the Free Presbyterian College and Church. The latter edifice was a copy of the famous Rheims Cathedral and damage to it alone was one million dollars.

Auxiliary Meets in New Headquarters

The American Legion Auxiliary of the James Edward Gray Post of the Legion met last night for the first time in its new headquarters, the Nodaway County Red Cross chapter rooms, in the Michau building. The Red Cross rooms will be made the permanent headquarters for the Auxiliary.

To Start Paving on St. Joe Road Tuesday

List & Weatherby will start paving the state highway No. 27 from Savannah to St. Joseph next Tuesday, according to engineers who are working on the project. The grading job has been progressing at a fast rate, starting about three weeks ago.

PROFESSOR TO SCOPES TRIAL

M. U. INSTRUCTOR ACCEPTS INVITATION TO AID.

COLBY IS OUT OF IT

Famous Lawyer Will Be Unable to Participate in Famous Legal Battle at Dayton, Tenn.

Columbia, Mo., July 8.—Dr. W. C. Curtis, professor of biology, University of Missouri, today accepted the invitation of Clarence Darrow to testify for the defense in the evolution trial at Dayton. Dr. Curtis, as the author of "Science and Human Affairs," on of the leading books on evolution, is preparing to leave for Dayton at once.

Chicago, July 8.—Bainbridge Colby, one of the defense counsel in the approaching Scope's trial, in a telegram sent to Dr. John Neal and Clarence Darrow, fellow defense counsel, today stated he would be unable to be present at the trial.

An important appellate court case was given as the reason that will prevent his appearance at Dayton.

When questioned as to whether or not he thought that the withdrawal of Colby was a resignation of his disappointment at the failure of the case to get into a federal court, Darrow replied, "he gives a real reason, doesn't he?"

Avenger Succeeds in Many Years Quest

Man Just Released From Kansas Penitentiary Must Go to Fort Worth to Answer Charges.

Kansas City, Kan., July 8.—Frank Norfleet, famous Texas avenger, won another step here today in the final chapter of his many-years hunt for the members of the gang which swindled him out of $4,500, when Judge Stone, in federal district court this afternoon, denied a writ of habeas corpus to W. B. Spencer, who will be returned this afternoon to Fort Worth, Tex., on extradition granted by Governor Paulen.

Spencer is the last of the gang Norfleet sought. The others are all dead or in prison. The final member of the gang has just been released from the Kansas penitentiary where he served a sentence on a narcotic charge.

Expect Huge Deficit in Postal Receipts

Postmaster-General New Blames Recently-Enacted Law to Decreased Revenue of Department.

Washington, July 8.—Postmaster-General New estimated today that the postoffice department would close the present fiscal year on June 30, 1925, with a deficit of $40,800,000 due to the postal rate and salary law enacted by the last Congress. The estimate was based on postal receipts for the month of June which although showed an increase over 1924 were not regarded as sufficiently large to take care of the increased expenditures made necessary by larger salaries granted postal employes.

Buys Wife But One Dress in 44 Years

Sandusky, Ohio, July 8.—One calico dress, costing $4.50, is all that George McCoy bought for his wife in the forty-four years they have lived together, Mrs. McCoy declared at the trial of the divorce case today in which she is the plaintiff. She said that the only thing that George had to complain of was that she snored.

To Attend Funeral of Uncle at St. Joe

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hull went to St. Joseph yesterday to attend the funeral of the former's uncle, C. A. Burnett, which was held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Sidenfadden Funeral Home. Burial was in Mount Auburn cemetery, St. Joseph. Mr. Burnett was 46 years old and formerly lived in Rosendale. His death was caused by tumor. Surviving are his widow and two daughters, Marian and Charlene, at home.

The Weather

Partly overcast tonight and Thursday, possibly local thunderstorms; continued warm.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY.

The faster a man travels in this world, the sooner he will see the next world.

Next to a woman's thoughts, a baseball game is about the most uncertain thing in life.

Doctors continue to advise walking as a means to health but about the only walking that is done nowdays is from parking place to business.

John McCormick has announced his retirement to take effect nine years hence. He will then be fifty when, he now thinks, he will be old. When that time comes, if he is in good health, he will very likely feel that old age is still several years off and go right along entertaining the multitudes as he has for several decades past.

Jack Dempsey, according to his publicity agent, is itching for a fight with Gene Tunney. Jack has been very careful about exposing his championship to danger and, since he has had his pug nose made over into a parlor nose and has gone into the movies, it is more than doubtful whether he will ever take the chance of having it spoiled by any first class, hard hitting boxer.

The Fourth of July has come and gone once more and we are reminded again of the hardships and spirit of the little band of patriots whose sacrifices made this great country possible. Every man who studies the birth of this nation or even stops to think of the suffering, the bravery and of the patient resignation that attended its birth, ought to consecrate himself to better citizenship and to a more wholesome respect for the Government of this great country which survived the sufferings of the fathers to bless the then unborn millions of this day.

Comic Section Stars Portrayed by Fire

Colored fire will replace printers' ink at the night shows of the Clarinda Fair July 20-24, when favorites from the comic-sections of the newspapers will be portrayed in the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks displays.

Barney Google, the inimitable little horseman, and his nag, Spark Plug, will be pictured in the ring at the horse show, where Spark Plug has just won a blue ribbon. Barney holds the ribbon up admiringly to be seen by the folks in the stand, which includes Andy Gump with Min and Chester, Jiggs and Maggie, Mutt and Jeff, Uncle Walt and Skeezix and others. Sambo, the little colored chap who is Barney's valet and secretary, chaperones Rudy, the ostrich, while Felix, the cat cuts capers for the amusement of the stands.

In former years one or two characters from comic sections have found their way into fireworks, but this is the first time an entire grop has been pictured and the result is laugh-compelling.

An elaborate display of mechanical set and ground pieces will be shown in conjunction with the "Comedy Land" number, which will be shown on one night only, being replaced by other scenes on other nights. Each night will see the georgeous program of aerial sensations, however, as well as the set-pieces. The latter include many new and novel numbers this year, including the "Star of the East," outlined in a white blaze "Cross of Malta," done in many-colored fires; "Pyro Carnival," a melee of Roman Candles, spotted in a semicircle and fired simultaneously, and many others.

From the time the program opens through the features and until the grand finale the air will be filled with illumination and the big exhibition field will be a blaze of colored fire.

In conjunction with the fireworks, there are five exceptionally good acts, two of whom are to go to the Iowa State Fair. Horse racing entries have broken all records in twenty years and there will be some real competition among drivers for the purses offered in the ten races scheduled.

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THE PARTY'S RUINED UNLESS IT'S A DUD.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I was a lucky boy today. I found a snake that wasn't mashed much and saw a fire and forgot to wash my neck with soap."

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So This Is Marriage Playing at Empire

"So This Is Marriage," a spectacular commentary on married life, will be at the Empire Theater tonight and Thursday. It is a Hobart Henley production for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, and has a cast that includes Eleanor Boardman, Conrad Nagel, Lew Cody, Clyde Cook, Warner Oland, Mabel Julienne Scott, Edward Connelly, Miss DuPont, John Boles, John Patrick, Thelma Morgan, Claire de Lorez, Shannon Day, Jack Edwards, and Estelle Clark.

One of the chief features of "So This Is Marriage" is a Biblical interlude filmed in natural color. The story was written by Carey Wilson and the script prepared by John Lynch and Alice D. G. Miller. John Arnold was chief photographer.

You can't keep a good thermometer down.

Not having any faults is a very great fault.

The sun's rays reach the earth in only eight minutes, so no wonder they are so hot.

When a man is full of himself he is just about vacant.

Kansas City Is Conducting $75,000 Campaign in Advertising Community

The following is the thirtieth installment of the article on "Community Advertising," written for the Democrat-Forum by D. A. Caldwell, secretary of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce.

When we give consideration to a community advertising program, from the national standpoint, we aim to make our advertising efforts cover the nation. Kansas City is spending $75,000 per year (75c per capita), for 3 years in publications reaching business executives, featuring the advantages and resources of the city.

There is no surer, more economical dignified, and appropriate way for a community or a district to establish itself as an outstanding place of nation importance than by properly advertising in national mediums. A community acknowledges its own importance by national advertising and becomes more important in the eyes of the local people.

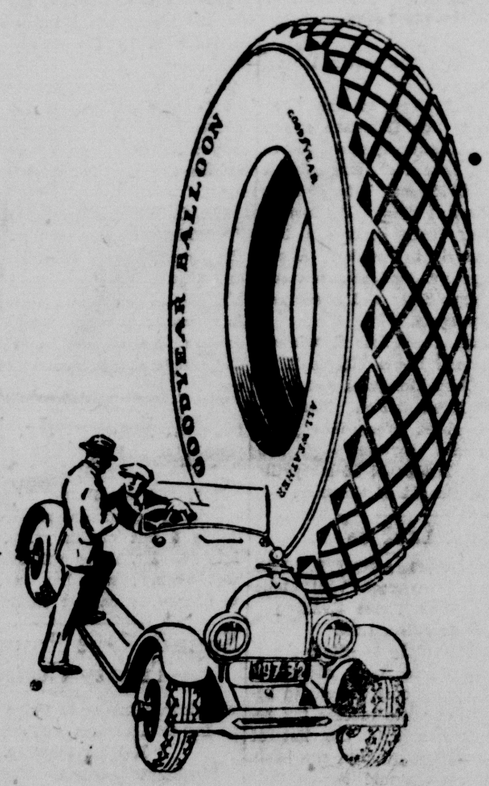
The values of the inquiry counts for more than the volume. The business-getting possibilities of each inquiry are very important for the community.

Business promotion, which means getting money and men to become permanent fixtures in your community likewise lends itself to national advertising.

No community is ready for national advertising at the start of its publicity program, unless, it is thoroughly sold to itself and the people of that community understand and appreciate the value of this type of community advertising.

A community can quickly ascertain about what amount of money can be effectively spent in advertising by comparing itself with other communities of like size and conditions. The city of Portland and state of Oregon are being advertised in a campaign that will be conducted over a period of 2 years with a fund of $510,000. Thirty-five per cent goes for newspaper space, 23 per cent magazines, 12 per cent booklets, 7 per cent preparation of copy, 12 per cent information bureau and balance general management.

(To be concluded)



Time to Think About Goodyear Tires

When you're down on your knees by the roadside—wrestling with jack and wrench—you'll think of Goodyears.

You'll wish you had them on your car.

Why not think about Goodyears now?

And when you're thinking about Goodyear quality, get the facts on Goodyear prices—low, low, low!

GEORGE McMURRY
Buick Sales and Service

WHAT EVOLUTION IS AND IS NOT.

By J. W. T. Mason
(Written for the United Press)

Evolution does not teach that man is descended from monkeys. Man represents one direction evolution has taken, and monkeys represent another direction.

Evolution neither affirms nor denies the divinity of Christ. Evolution deals with bodily forms and organs. It does not pronounce doctrines about spirit.

Evolution does not contradict the Ten Commandments. On the contrary, whosoever obeys the Ten Commandments is far more likely to progress further in evolution than those who do not.

Evolution does not deny the existence of God. Evolution has no theory explaining the origin of existence. People who believe in God, the spirit, can also believe in the evolution of living forms of matter without contradicting themselves.

Evolution is a method whereby the past passes on its attainments to the present so that life can learn by experience and can safeguard progress.

It was once believed the earth was flat. Many men of that time believed to deny this and to teach the earth was round was to deny the existence of God.

It was once believed the sun went round the earth. Many men of that time, as self-appointed censors of God, believed to deny this and to teach the earth went round the sun was to deny the existence of God.

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Society

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Daughters of Isabella will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at K. of C. Hall.

Picnic at Bridgewater.

A picnic for the East Star Rangers was given Sunday at Bridgewater. A basket dinner was served at noon. Those present were Misses Irone and Dorothy Bailey, Mae and Pearl Smith, Flossie Nichols, Gladys Dewitt, Emma Gaukel, and Louis, Lawrence and Clarence Gaukel, Harlin and Robert Dewitt, Orville and Otto Nichols, Everett Nicholson, and Pleasant and Fred Smith.

For Nebraska Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlen Smith entertained with a dinner Sunday for the latter's sister and nieces, Mrs. Minda Boggess and daughters, Marie and Bessie, Mrs. Dora Timberlake and Mrs. Floyd Orr, all of Nebraska; Miss Edna Burch and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rine and son, Olin, of Shambaugh, Ia., Mrs. Della Wilson of Clearmont, Otis Smith and Miss Fleta Mae Smith.

Mrs. Bellows Hostess.

Mrs. Fred Bellows was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club this afternoon at West Lawn Farm. The guests included, in addition to club members, Miss Jane Hardy of Chicago, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows; Mrs. W. N. Deatherage, Mrs. Fred Wolfers and Mrs. Fayette Bellows of Minneapolis, Minn.

County-Wide Basket Dinner.

Mrs. F. E. James of Maryville, president of the Nodaway County Federation of Women's Clubs, is in receipt of the following invitation: "The Holt County Federation of Women's Clubs invites you to share with us a county-wide basket dinner, which we are holding in Mound City, Friday, July 10, City Park, at 11:30 a. m. Our chief attraction is Mrs. Henry N. Ess of Kansas City, state president of Federated Clubs, who will speak at the Methodist Church at 2 p. m. The Federated Clubs of Mound City are very glad to be the hostess clubs on such an occasion and are planning to furnish drinks and ice cream for all. Please come and enjoy the day with us. Executive Committee of the Holt County Federation of Women's Clubs."

All clubs affiliated with the Nodaway County Federation, including the Maryville Twentieth Century Club, are eligible to attend, and it is expected that a number of Nodaway County club women will take advantage of the opportunity. Mrs. John G. Graham of Mound City, president of the First District Federation, was the first president of the Holt County Federation and was active in its organization.

Meet at Hiett Home.

The July meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, was held last night on the lawn at the home of Mrs. James Hiett, on South Fillmore street. The meeting opened with singing of "Hallelujah." The monthly reports were given at the business session and in answer to roll call the members gave names of either a deaconness or home missionary. Mrs. E. T. Dale gave interesting items from the Bulletin, the missionary paper. Mrs. Hiett, the president, had charge of the devotions on "Time for Little Children," and Mrs. R. A. Mitchell was the leader of the program. Mrs. John Johnson told of the Institutional Church, which is maintained by the Methodist Episcopal Churches, South, of Kansas City. There was an open discussion and Mrs. Hiett, who was brought into relation with the church while living in Kansas City, also spoke on the subject. A dialogue entitled "Mrs. Goodsoul Sees It Through" was presented by Mrs. R. M. Barry, impersonating Mrs. Goodsoul; Mrs. N. G. Ellis, a Wesley House deaconness; Mrs. I. E. Tulloch, John Gordon; Mrs. Joe Cornell, Tommy; and Misses Maxine Holt, Vida Neal and Margaret Deering, Wesley House girls. Miss Vida Neal gave a reading "Peter Sorghum In Love." A song, "I Love to Tell the Story," and the Lord's prayer in unison concluded the program. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. T. C. Coil and Misses Maxine Holt, Vida Neal and Margaret Deering.

Tuesday Bridge Club.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. N. Deatherage on South Fillmore street. Miss Jane Hardy of Chicago, who is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bellows, was an additional guest.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. Anna Stauble was hostess at a dinner yesterday noon at her home on North Prairie street when her guests included Mrs. J. H. Eckles, Miss Ora Eckles, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Miss Ruby Melvin, Mrs. O. W. Swinford and Mrs. W. R. Wells.

Annual Picnic at Bridgewater.

The annual picnic for members of the Bee Hive Shoe Firm and their families will be given this evening at Bridgewater. The party will include Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller and daughters, Harriett, Ruth and Vivian, Mr. and Mrs. John Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sims and their guest, Miss Marjory Fitzmaurice of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter and children, Thelma Jean and Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Briney, Miss Lucy Sturm and Steele McIntire.

Missionary Meeting.

The Evening Auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church held its July meeting last night at the home of Mrs. F. L. Curfman on West Second street. The assisting hostesses were Miss Sophie Hull, Mrs. Henderson Aley and Mrs. Ralph Aley. The devotions, led by Miss Edna O'Neal, were followed by sentence prayers and singing of "I Love To Tell the Story." The president, Mrs. Steve Donahue, appointed Miss Emma Hull, Mrs. Henderson Aley and Mrs. Leonard Bosch as members of a committee to pack the Christmas box which will be sent about August 1 to the school in China of which Dr. Ida Bell Lewis is president. Other members wishing to contribute gifts for the box are asked to notify Miss Emma Hull. The program was in charge of Miss Emma Hull, who gave a reading on China. Following a general discussion Miss Dorothy Case, accompanied by Miss Lucille Airy, played a cello solo. The program was closed with the mystery box. Refreshments were served during the social hour. The meeting was attended by Miss Lucille Airy, Mrs. Leonard Bosch, Mrs. S. J. Donahue, Mrs. Theo Gray, Miss Mabel Gay, Mrs. J. W. Herndon, Mrs. Guy Haller, Miss Emma Hull, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Miss Edna O'Neal, Mrs. W. W. Stanfield, Mrs. Howard Wray, Mrs. Edgar Carlson, Mrs. Henderson Aley, Mrs. Ralph Aley and Mrs. Fred Waggoner.

All-School Party.

An all-school party for students and faculty members of the State Teachers College will be held Friday night in the administration building, it was announced at the assembly hour this morning. There will be dancing in the library and table games and other amusements will be featured in the the corridor.

Birthday Party.

To observe the seventh birthday of her daughter, Doris, Mrs. Ernest Ingels entertained yesterday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock at her home in Pickering. Assisted by her daughter, Eunice, the hostess served refreshments. Those entertained were Emma Louise Smith, Jean Swinford, Lela Maude Beattie, Mary Swinford, Esther Irene Jones, Florence Lincoln, Eva Laverne McMullin and Gladda Ingels.

Party at Lincoln Home.

Mrs. Orlo Lincoln and daughter, Florence, entertained a few of the latter's friends yesterday afternoon at their home in Pickering. After an afternoon spent informally with games, refreshments were served. The guests were Margaret Ann Wolfers, Esther Irene Jones, Emma Louise Smith, Eva Laverne McMullin, Mary Swinford, Beulah Marie Gray, Doris Ingels and Jean Swinford.

There will be an ice cream social at the Bedison Church Thursday night, July 9.

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Return from Wedding Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Robb, who were married June 19, returned Monday evening from their wedding trip to Yellowstone Park and American Falls, Idaho. At the latter place they were guests of Mr. Robb's sister, Mrs. J. T. Sykes, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robb are at home in Pickering where Mr. Robb assumed his new duties as cashier of the Bank of Pickering this morning. Mrs. Robb was formerly Miss Nina Lucille Bent of Maryville.

Students Will Pay Price for Crime

Missouri School Of Mines Youths Sentenced From Twelve to Thirty Years In Butte, Mont.

Butte, Mont., July 8.—Mark Mills, 21, of Joplin, Mo., and Harold Seifert, 20, of Tulsa, Okla., who came to Butte for practical mining experience before starting in their final year at the Missouri School of Mines at Rolla, today were on their way to the Montana state prison at Deer Lodge to serve not less than twelve nor more than thirty years.

The boys pleaded guilty in district court of robbery. They were captured yesterday after a running gun fight with police.

Read the Want Ads.

Big July Clearance Sale

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Ashford Millinery

Santa Barbara Goes to Work

Santa Barbara is hard at work repairing the devastation wrought by her earthquake. This picture shows workmen busy on the ruins of the San Marcos building, which was one of the largest in the city.

Arraign Laity For Neglect of Religious Obligations

New York, July 8.—(United Press)—A severe arraignment of the laity of the Episcopal Church for indifference to their religious obligations is contained in a report made public today, which will be submitted to the Episcopal Triennial General Convention meeting at New Orleans October 7, to 23. The report is signed by Burton Mansfield, well known corporation lawyer, of New Haven; John Stewart, Editor of the Richmond News Leader; Ira W. Stratton, former Mayor of Reading, Pa., and Willard Warner, a well known Churchman of Chattanooga.

In the triennium now closing there has been a failure on the part of the Church to meet the requirements of the budget of $4,241,057 adopted at the Portland Convention in 1922; and the financial problem of the ensuing three years will be one of the serious questions the New Orleans meeting will have to grapple with. Church leaders feel that a deeper interest in the work of the Church, particularly in its activities in the mission fields, will result from an awakening among the laity to its world-wide situation. Significance, therefore, attaches to this report of the Commission on Increased Lay Activities.

Need For Lay Interest.

"The adequate solution of the problem of maintaining and increasing the active and effective interest of the laity in the work of the Church is essential to the continuance of the life of the Church itself," the report warns.

"No church, not even though it were the admitted repository of the pure faith one delivered to the Saints, can perpetuate itself beyond a single generation except by the accession of new members. No liturgy, no matter how satisfying its expression and no matter how compelling its appeal, can purify the minds and lift the hearts of those who never hear its words. No discipline, no matter how sound it may be in psychology, nor how powerful it may be in practice, can mould the lives and strengthen the souls of those who do not come under its influence."

Sounds Warning.

"Having made these blunt statements in their preamble, the Committee proceeds to sound this warning:

"Without the enlistment of the active enthusiasm, without the release of the spiritual zeal, and without the employment of the missionary impulses of the laity, the Church must, inexorably live a maimed and halting life."

The Committee points to the fact that with the exception of The Brotherhood of St. Andrew, the Episcopal Church has notably neglected the field activity.

Must Organize

"There can be no denial," says the report, "first, that the Episcopal Church has not actively and intensively gone about the task of organizing and inspiring and applying the energies of its laymen, as a whole for the work of the Church as a whole; and, second, that both by reason, by history and by unanswerable examples of other communions a vast source of beneficent energy has been neglected alike for the enrichment of the spirit-life of the individual layman that serves, and of the corporate Church that is so supported."

The report cites action by various provinces and dioceses looking to organized work among the laity, and recommends to the General Convention the consideration of a number of suggestions which it outlines whereby the interest of the laity in the work of the Church may be promoted.

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10c Toilet Paper, 4 rolls for 24c

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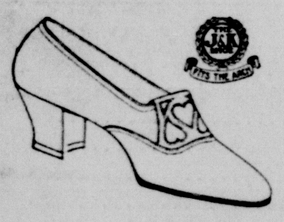

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Personals

Mrs. E. C. Braniger and Mrs. Maud Ramsey drove to Tarkio this morning to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Trout, and other relatives.

Mrs. J. C. O'Rourke and daughter, Helen Marie, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Lehmer, south of Maryville.

Mrs. Will Staples and family and Francis Farrell of Burlington Junction; Harold Hart and Claude Sewell, Skidmore; S. R. Dobbins, Arkoe; and Mrs. C. A. Hunt, Mrs. A. L. Hunt and Mrs. H. C. Martin of Ravenwood were Maryville visitors today.

The 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Walker of Ravenwood underwent an operation for removal of adenoids and tonsils at the St. Francis Hospital this morning.

Miss Jennie M. Newlon came Sunday from Ridgeway to spend the remainder of the summer with her mother, Mrs. Mabel Newlon, and sister, Ida Beth Newlon. Miss Newlon has been visiting friends in Ridgeway for several weeks. Maxine Stephens of Skidmore is also a guest at the Newlon home.

Ross Adcock of Twin Falls, Idaho, is visiting his uncles, Tom and Will Alexander of Pickering and his sister, Mrs. Lula Maxwell of Hopkins.

Mrs. R. F. Zook snd son, Junior, of Kansas City are visiting the former's brother, George Kirchhofer, and Mrs. Kirchhofer.

Colorado Visitors Leave Tomorrow.

Mrs. J. A. Stephenson and daughter, Miss Helen Stephenson, of Pueblo, Col., who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. C. L. Wright, her sisters, Mrs. Harry Snyder and Mrs. R. C. Seal, and her brother, George P. Wright, and their families, will leave tomorrow for their home.

Chicago Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert D. Reynolds of Chicago arrived in Maryville last night to be the guests of the latter's sisters, Mrs. W. C. Pierce and Mrs. Dora Martin. Mrs. Reynolds was the former Miss Babe Ford of Maryville.

Visit Maryville Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mahoney and family of Oklahoma City, Okla., came last night to visit Mr. Mahoney's father, John Mahoney, and other relatives.

Guests at Saunders Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Saunders of Bernie, Mo., Jim Ward of Springfield, Mr., Mr. and Mrs. Grover Allen and daughter, Louise, of Whitesville, and Miss Crystal Jennings of Rea were week-end guests of A. D. Saunders and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Saunders left yesterday for a several weeks' trip to Colorado.

Minor Clites at Workman Chapel.

Minor Clites of Shenandoah, Ia., blind pianist, will give an entertainment at Workman Chapel Friday night July 10, at 8:15 o'clock. The concert is under the auspices of the women of the church.

Returns from Mackinac Island.

Miss Merle Ford returned last night from a ten days' visit at Mackinac Island, Mich., where she attended the national convention of Kappa Delta sorority.

Harry B. Rutledge Ill.

Harry B. Rutledge, superintendent of the Burlington Junction schools, is seriously ill at the Audrain hospital in Mexico, Mo., being threatened with typhoid fever, according to word received today by Mrs. Ferd L. Masters of Maryville, a sister of Mrs. Rutledge. Mr. and Mrs. Rutledge have been attending the summer session of the University of Missouri and went to Mexico to spend the Fourth with the latter's brother, Ed Lowry, where Mr. Rutledge was taken ill.

TODAY'S BASE BALL SCORES.

(By radio, courtesy Hanamo Tel. Co.)

National League.

St. Louis 5, Boston 1, end 8th.
No other games, rain.

American League.

New York 0, St. Louis 0, end 1st.
Boston 0-6-2, Detroit 5-10-1.
Washington 6, Chicago 0, end 6th.
Philadelphia 3-11-6, Cleveland 14-19-1.

American Association.

Indianapolis 1, Kansas City 0, end 2nd.
Columbus 3, St. Paul 0, end 3rd.

Frank Schumacher No Better.

The condition of Frank A. Schumacher, who is dangerously ill of uremic poisoning at St. Francis hospital, was no better late this afternoon. He has grown weaker through the day. Mrs. Agnes White of Creston, Ia., mother of Mrs. Schumacher, was summoned here last evening.

Read the Want Ads.

Weather Influence on Crops Favorable

Because of Heat Field Work in Some Localities Suspended Momentarily—Average Is Hotter.

In Missouri, the week ending Tuesday morning, July 7, was hot with a large per cent of sunshine, and occasional thunderstorm showers, ranging in amounts from light to quite heavy. As a whole, the influence of the weather on crops and outdoor operations was favorable. Because of the heat, field work in some localities was suspended for an hour or two in the early afternoons on the hottest days.

The week averaged about 6 degrees hotter than normal; the nights, as a rule, were not below 60 degrees; the day temperature ranged into the high nineties, and on several days soared above the 100 degree value, 104 at Maryville, and Poplar Bluff, being the highest reported. The sunshine was 84 per cent of the possible. The rainfall was irregular in amounts and unevenly distributed. The total fall of between one and two inches fell in the counties of Livingston, Marion, Macon, Laclede, Green, and St. Louis, amounts were light and inappreciable in Cooper, Cass, Jackson, Barton, Audrain, and Benton. Soil moisture is generally sufficient for the present needs, save in a few of the southwestern and Ozark counties.

Wheat harvest is about done; threshing has started in a few localities, with fair yields and good quality of grain. Cutting oats now is well underway; straw is rather short but heads are good.

The general condition and progress of corn in the principal corn counties is reported to be excellent; the bulk is laid by, and the earliest is tasseling.

Much fine hay including the second crop of alfalfa is being harvested. Outside of a few localities in the Ozarks where the more rain is needed, pastures and all of the minor crops are doing well.

The southeast cotton crop is exceptionally fine; and squares and blooms are general.

Will Hang Negro Behind County Jail

Superstition Leads To Opinion That Execution In Barn At Mexico Would Make It Haunted.

Mexico, Mo., July 8.—Montgomery County is taking no chances that a barn behind the county jail at Montgomery City will become haunted.

James Crump, negro convicted of slaying Sheriff Chal Blum of Mexico, is sentenced to hang July 17, at Montgomery for the murder.

Sheriff Farmer, a young ex-service man, had decided that the hanging would be in a barn, directly behind the jail.

However, there has been a bit of uneasiness over the town through fear that the hanging would cause the barn to become hanuted.

Sheriff Farmer announced today that he had no superstitions, but to meet the popular clamor the hanging would be in the jail yard.

"Con" Men Rimming the Harvest Hands

Kansas City, Mo., July 8.—Reports that confidence men are "slickering" harvest hands out of hundreds of dollars here have led to a police drive on alleged bunko workers.

A few days ago four con men won several hundred dollars and left a score of harvest hands stranded in the Union Station by working the "lost knife" trick.

Bets are made on the ability of the victims to open a knife owned by one of the swindlers. A concealed spring a few bets and a sleight-of-hand change of knives cost the victims their hard earned money, according to police.

The four were arrested and will be tried for vagrancy.

Misses Hazel Frede and Pauline Nickels, with a party of friends motored to Big Lake Sunday.

AUNT HET

"I try to be a good woman but there is times when I'm right vain about my pie crusts."

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Where to Draw Line on Modern Entertainments

(By Ruel S. Moore)
United Press Staff Correspondent.

Portland, Ore., July 8—Just where to draw the line in dancing, card playing, Sunday pastimes, movies and theaters was more than hundreds of young people attending the open forum of the International Christian Endeavor convention here could determine.

Delegates are looking forward to another open discussion later in the week following a session Monday that brought forward many ideas but no conclusions.

The following amusements were placed by common consent in the "twilight zone"—bordering between good and bad.

Gambling, prize fighting and drinking intoxicating liquors immediately relegated to the category of entirely bad enjoyments.

Good reading, unprofessional athletics, fishing educational films, pageantry and church and home social games were styled without question as wholesome amusements.

The dance has as many supporters as it had opponents. The anti-forces were championed by a youth who asked:

"Can a dancing foot and a praying knee go together? Did you ever see a dancing person who is pious?"

Public dances were given no sanction.

Movies are good or bad, depending on what the subject matter is. The same holds true for the legitimate stage, according to the general opinion developed.

Modern Cinderella Wanted in New York

Pretty Refined Girl of 14 Is Request of Millionaire to Bring Up as His Own Child.

New York, July 8—The mantle of a known clothing house has descended on a modern fairy godfather.

An advertisement inserted by Edward W. Browning, son of the founder of Browning, King and Company, has opened a modern fairyland with a wave of a wand that was once a yardstick.

Browning, many times a millionaire, wants a "pretty refined girl of 14 years" brought up as his own child, a companion for an adopted daughter, Dorothy. The successful applicant from among hundreds, who have rushed for the opportunity, will have "every opportunity, education, travel, kindness, care and love" according to the advertisement.

It will mean that some poor little girl, sweltering in the heat of an East Side street, will be transported to the top of one of the skyscrapers that now is her horizon, where she will find a luxurious home, a roof garden, a swimming pool, while servants, tutors, social instructors and the caterers of the world of wealthy will mobilize at her beck and call.

This has been the experience of Dorothy Downing, adopted by the millionaire six years ago and Browning is seeking a companion for Dorothy.

Browning is interviewing every girl who answers his advertisement and is taking his time about the selection. One little boy has even appeared.

Prison Guards Stops Outbreak; Falls Dead

Chicago, Ill., July 8.— Maurice Reidy, veteran guard at the Bridwell prison, added another frustrated jailbreak to his long record of service and then fell dead. He had just sent Edward Florenz, a Mexican, back to the jail yard when he collapsed. Heart failure is believed to have been the cause of death.

Miller Gives Readings at College Assembly

Presents Group Of Poems By James Whitcomb Riley—Reviews Life And Character of Writer

Harry A. Miller, of the department of public speaking in the State Teachers College gave a reading of a group of James Whitcomb Riley's poems this morning at the College assembly hour. Mr. Miller prefaced his reading with a brief review of the life and character of Riley. The poems which he read were selected with the view to show Riley's philosophy of living, his versatility, and his deep human sympathy.

The reading was generously applauded by the audience, especially that of "The Old Man and Jim" and "That Old Sweetheart of Mine."

Gas or Gasoline Is Cause of Gillis Wreck

Kansas City, July 8.—That the explosion and fire which caused the death of five persons in the Gillis theater here the night of June 25 was caused by gasoline or leaking gas was the verdict of the coroner's jury, which completed its deliberations today.

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Willing Workers.

Robert Hinkle and family of Tarkio visited a short time with his brother, Lyman Hinkle, Monday evening.

John Shonley, wife and sons visited with F. C. King and family at Athelston, Sunday.

C. O. Harman and wife had a 4th of July celebration Saturday. The usual big dinner was served at noon and the feature of the afternoon was a baseball game. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. DeFreece, son Henry and daughter Irene, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeFreece and daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Lizzie Klaas, Miss Vern Batson, the host and hostess and daughters.

Miss Pearl Woodburn of St. Joseph spent the week end with home folks west of town.

Miss Irene DeFreece returned to St. Joseph Sunday after a few days visit with relatives in Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kikendall and son Harry returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Shenandoah, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierpoint and family have moved into the house recently vacated by Wyman Hinkle in the east part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmitz and children of St. Joseph are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Day and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Messbarger and children visited Messbarger and family in Maryville Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia King spent Sunday night with her friend Mrs. Eliza Sparks near Gaynor.

Mr. and Mrs. James Denham's little daughter had the misfortune of falling and breaking her arm Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auer and children visited his brother Alfonso Auer in Maryville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmitz were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. A. Waldeiers Sunday.

Misses Lenna and Wanda Roof of Wichita, Kan., visited their uncle, A. J. Roof and wife, Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Thompson of Grant City spent the week end visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. Laughlin and family.

Miss Minnie Kaufman returned Sunday from Kansas City where she has been visiting the past month. She was accompanied home by her cousins, Selma and Madeline Rose Kaufman of Atchison, Kan.

W. W. Bell was in town Tuesday in the interest of the Evening Star Chautauqua.

B. A. Archer and family of Gaynor visited Carl Timmerman and mother Sunday afternoon.

General Perry and wife and Clarence Perry and wife visited with Mrs. Snoddy, Sunday.

The Epworth League of Sheridan, came down Sunday evening and conducted services at the M. E. Church. A good audience attended and the services were enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter and children of Maryville spent several days visiting at the home of Lewis Porter and wife.

Virgil Crenshaw and family are enjoying a new Maxwell Sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Day and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmitz were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Baublits and children of Wichita, Kan., are visiting relatives here. They will soon move to Ada, Okla., where he will have charge of Penney's store there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nelson spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Housten in Burlington Junction.

Misses Jennie McMahon and Clora Taylor and Messrs Paul and Albert Welch motored to Mt. Ayr, Saturday evening.

J. A. Ransom and family spent the 4th with his parents in St. Joseph, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Woodburn and daughter Louise of Pittsburg, Penn., came Monday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Chas. Sisson and Louie Stutesman were St. Joseph visitors Friday.

Oscar Frawley spent a short time with home folks Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Port Evans and son were dinner guests Sunday of Roy Conrad and family. Forrest Conrad came home with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Long and children of Ravenwood were Parnell visitors Sunday.

Pat Gorman and family of Harmony were Parnell visitors Sunday evening.

Wm. McMahon and family were Sunday visitors in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Long and Mr. and Mrs. Casteel of Ravenwood were Parnell visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson of Stanberry visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Van Houten.

Gets Diploma

Winning varsity numerals in four branches of sport is a bit out of the ordinary in these days of keen competition. But that's what Homer Hazel of Rutgers has done. He got his "R" in football, baseball, track and basketball. He was an All-America backfield selection last fall. Hazel graduated in June with the rating of one of the greatest all-round athletes in Rutgers' history.

Smart Pumps

THESE pumps have achieved distinction by finding a new spot on which to concentrate the decorations which are bits of patent leather appliqued to form a design. They are of white kid.

Tennesse Oil Fire Sweeps Main Plant

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 8.—Fire, which had wrought damage estimated at $100,000, at noon was still sweeping the Southeastern Oil Company's main plant here. The plant became a mass of flames a few minutes after a small quantity of oil had been accidently ignited and spread through the plant.

Extends Shipping Service on Mississippi River Between St. Louis and New Orleans

Information has been received by the local Chamber of Commerce from Halleck W. Seaman, member of the Advisory Board of the Inland Waterways Corporation, who has just returned from a meeting at Washington that authorization has been made for the purchase of a number of new boats and barges of light draft, at a cost of more than $1,000,000 to be used on the Mississippi River from St. Louis to New Orleans.

From all sections of the middle west shipper and consumers hail the announcement as one of the greatest moves in securing lower shipping rates. The Federal Barge lines is already operating a carrier service from New Orleans to St. Louis, affording a saving on the hauling charge of 20 per cent of the rail rates, and the Secretary of War has authorized a survey to seek information as to the advisability of the extension of this service.

Halleck W. Seaman, of Clinton, Iowa a member of the Board of Advisors of the corporation has been designated by the secretary to compile the survey for the upper Mississippi and Illinois Rivers, and Wilmer M. Jacoby, of Pittsburgh, is making a similar survey of conditions on the Ohio River. Mr. Seaman, as well as the other members of the advisory board, has just returned from a conference in Washington at which the announcement was made authorizing the additional equipment to the service.

Mr. Seaman states that at this meeting all of the members of the board expressed their gratification at the remarkable growth of public interest in inland waterway commerce and declares that all of those present at the sessions indicated they are being deluged with inquiries relative to their extension.

Chambers of Commerce and their organizations as welll as municipal officials are already making tentative plans for the proposed extension and have notified Mr. Seaman of the progress that is being made. In several instances specifications and plans have been drawn up for permanent docks. These plans, of course, will be held in abeyance pending the final outcome of the decision for the extension.

River men who have been covering the navigable sections of the Mississippi all their lives declare that with the expanding of this service, working in cooperation with the railroads the entire middle west will see a new era. They declare that the erection of terminals at the crossings so that freight may be transferred for the short rail haul will start industry on a general upward movement.

Just recently several barges, loaded with hunter's ammunition, agricultural implements and other products, successfully landed their cargoes at the head of navigation as well as at intermediate points.

SIDELIGHTS AT DAYTON.

Dayton, Tenn., July 8.—T. T. Martin, field secretary of the Anti-Evolution League of America, is holding three meetings daily on the courthouse lawn. He delivers a lecture entitled "Shall we be taxed to damn our Children?" His dodgers are adorned with pictures of gorillas captioned "Are these your ancestors?"

Ten thousand copies of a booklet entitled "Why Dayton—of All Places?" are now ready for distribution at Rabinson's Drug Store at a half-dollar a copy.

Entertainments for visitors here are meager. There is one motion picture house now engaged in showing a monkey picture called "Darwin Was Right." The only other attraction is Tom's Comedians, a traveling troupe, which has pitched its tent on the edge of town.

A series of terrific blasts of a whistle and whoops of a siren beginning at 5 o'clock every morning arouses the town and makes further slumber impossible. They come from the lumber mill across the railroad tracks. Lest anybody has any intention of rolling over for forty winks, the din is repeated every few minutes until 6:30 p. m.

Several Ship Stock to St. Joseph Market

Stock was sent in to St. Joseph for Tuesday's market from Nodaway County by Shafer & Co., G. W. Neal, James Blagg, J. F. Roelofson, J. F. Dowden Maryville Shipping Co., E. Floyd and C. A. Barmann.—St. Joseph Stock Yadrs Journal.

New Outline

THE new sausage-shaped satchels have this to recommend them—there isn't an inch of waste space, and they are very easy to carry. They are very smart, too, and seen in all sizes and qualities of leather.

Eversole Store News

BEAUTIFUL CREPES

We have just received a shipment of the prettiest dress crepes. They are the best bargains shown in Maryville this summer. Crepes are ideal for hot weather wear.

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We think our showing of Voiles the best in town. We would be glad to show you the latest styles in this dress material.

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The party that took the silk scarf from our display rack Tuesday can save arrest by mailing the same back to us this week.

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Standard Spray Pumps, regular $5.25	$4.35	1 pint Thermos Bottle	79c
Galvanized Foot Tub	45c	1½ pint nickel genuine Thermos Bottle	$2.10
Bath White Towel Rack, 18 inch, regular 85c	69c	Monarch Thermo Golden Jug	$2.69
Bath White Towel rack, 24 inch, regular $$1.00	85c	Sahara Water Bag, 2 gallon	98c
Bath White Towel Rack, 30 inch, regular $1.25	$1.00	Six quart Sprinkler	55c
Jersey Ice Cream Freezer, 4 quart	$4.18	Eight quart Sprinkler	65c
Jersey Ice Cream Freezer, 6 quart	$5.18	Fountain Lawn Spray	65c
Coleman Camp Stove,, regular $12.00	$10.50	Full Fountain Lawn Spray	75c
Coleman Camp Stove, regular $9.00	$7.75	Blue and White Enamel Water Pail, regular $1.30	89c
Monarch Triple Oil, Water and Gas Reserve regular $4.75	$3.75	White 17 quart enamel Dish Pan, regular $1.30	89c
		Clothes Basket	$1.19

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Hanamo 161. Farmers 201.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

PEANUT BUTTER, fresh ground, by lb	20c	PEP, Kelloggs Bran Food, 2 packages for	25c
CORN FLAKES, Club House, large pkgs	15c	FRANKFURTERS, by the pound	20c
OATS, Mother's Aluminum Brand, pkg	30c	VEAL ROAST, by the pound	22½c
PEACHES, fresh Georgia, free stone for table use, basket	35c	VEAL STEW, by the pound	17½c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, cooked, Heinz med. tins, 2 for	35c	VEAL CUTLETS or Steak, the pound	35c
SOAP, hard water Casteel, 2 bars for	15c	DRIED BEEF, wafer sliced, pound	60c
SOAP FLAKES, Rub-No-More, large pkg	20c	CORN BEEF, cooked delicious for cold lunch, per pound	40c

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Association With Youth And Feeling Their Work Is As Great Value Keep Many In Profession.

From the Christian Science Monitor.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Why continue to teach when you can make more money in business? This thought has come to thousands of teachers. Some it has lured away, more have stayed. Inquiry among leaders of the National Education Association, who could command much larger financial returns from the commercial world, was made recently.

This was the answer: Because teaching is very satisfying, both from its warm contacts with youth and from the opportunity it offers for direct and continuous service to the nation. This profession, despite the sacrifices of greater or less degree it imposes, still holds in its ranks men and women of the highest caliber.

"Opportunity for service" and "joy of being with children," expressed in individual ways, were two strands of thought which ran through the many responses to the question, "Why do you stay in the teaching profession?"

Typical of the prevailing attitude was the explanation made by Dr. Edwin C. Broome, superintendent of schools of Philadelphia. Mr. Broome is a member of the New York and Pennsylvania bars, but he turned from law to teaching. Giving his reasons, he said:

Service To Youth.

"There is a stimulation that comes from the work of teaching. It arises out of a sense of service that one feels in knowing his work is helping to develop thousands of boys and girls and is carrying them through periods of discouragement.

"When business opportunities come to me, and I have had a number, or when the law calls, I say to myself: 'Wouldn't you be deserting your real function in life? Wouldn't you be giving up the greatest opportunity to serve?' I think honestly that this is the saving element that keeps people in the profession who could hold business positions. There are few who attain high posts in teaching who would not have reached the height in others.

"It must be something more than just getting caught in the net. The person who goes in and stays in deliberately, knowing he has the power to succeed in something else, must see the attractiveness of service, for the compensation doesn't begin to compare with that of other fields."

T. D. Martin, director of the division of records and membership of the association, went so far as to try other lines of work, but he came back to teaching because he liked teaching best. He told how, after returning from service with the American army in France, he had looked about the other fields.

Joy In Teaching.

"But I visited a few schools at that time," he said. "I think you get the greatest joy out of teaching because you come in contact with large groups of young people at a period of idealism, just at the age when your influence means something. In business you cannot come in contact with so many. In my school experience I have found the boys and girls of today splendid young people and ninety-nine out of one hundred respond to the challenge of idealism."

Contacts and opportunities for worth-while service were given as the two major reasons for staying in the profession by Dr. Robert J. Aley, president of Butler college. While momentum holds some people in the work, and good beginning salaries attract others, the missionary aims gets and holds those of greatest influence in the teaching ranks, Dr. Aley declared.

Mrs. Mary C. C. Bradford, superintendent of public instruction of Colorado, was among those who tried business and returned to teaching for the love of it. Relating her experience she said:

"I tried business two years. I made nearly twice what I make as state superintendent, but I missed the creative contacts. In my work I go right out among the children and talk to them. Many of the schools have my picture on their walls. You can't get that in business."

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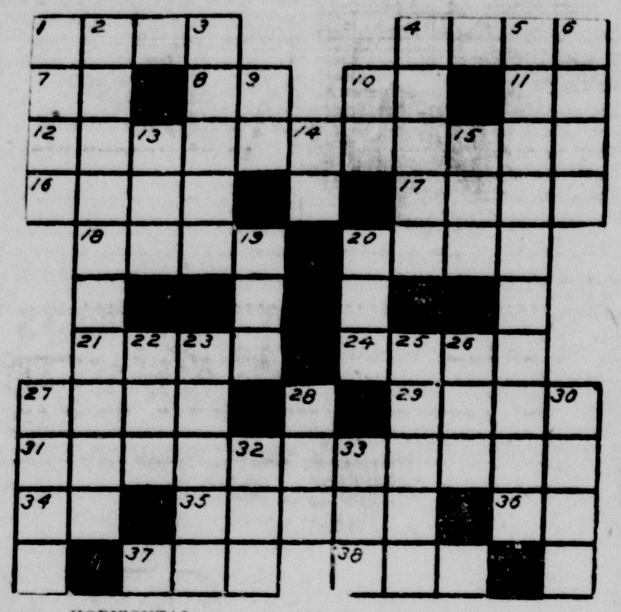
EDUCATIONAL CROSS WORD PUZZLE

By PROFESSOR ROBERT K. SPEER and DR. J. RALPH McGAUGHY, Columbia University.

The purpose of THE EDUCATIONAL CROSS WORD PUZZLE is to teach the meaning and use of words. In this the regular cross word puzzle is defective. Dr. Edward L. Thorndike of Columbia University, the world famous psychologist, has scanned over 5,000,000 words from the Bible, classics, novels, trades, and newspapers. He has selected the 10,000 most common words. Our EDUCATIONAL PUZZLE is confined to these 10,000. The average person's vocabulary is 2,500 words. Why not increase yours?

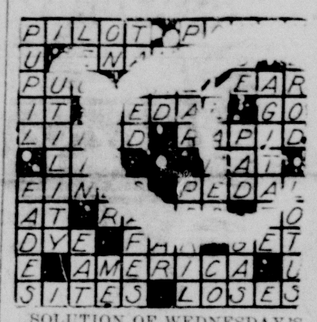


HORIZONTAL

1. They had a sale of —— and ends.
4. —— these gloves on.
7. I am going to Newport, ——.
8. She is visiting in Pittsburgh, ——.
10. Will you come with ——?
11. There is —— time to lose.
12. Plans were on foot to —— the king.
16. —— and honor his holy name!
17. Place your nickel in the ——.
18. She tried to —— through the keyhole.
20. Ring the ——.
21. —— are snake-like fish.
24. The steering —— was out of order.
27. My aunt's name is ——.
29. ——! I fear we are lost!
31. Glass is ——.
34. It —— too late to go.
35. A —— of drawers stood in the corner.
36. Give these —— her.
37. She was busy as a ——.
38. Mary is very ——.

VERTICAL

1. The care of the teeth is a phase of —— hygiene.
2. The moon —— in the morning.
3. The gardener's —— is lost.
4. Use common ——.
5. The old man is —— of children.
6. Tennyson was a famous ——.
9. Pay —— you leave.
10. One ——, 6 rds., 3 ft.
13. He will —— the company for damages.
14. We live on Church ——.
15. What is it —— about?
19. Ship via Penna. and N. Y. C. ——.
20. Jane has a —— of candy.
22. The war was followed by an —— of depression.
23. The Doctor will — the boil.



SOLUTION OF WEDNESDAY'S PUZZLE.

25. The —— goes around the sun.
26. —— is a favorite drink in England.
27. —— it vigorously as it cools.
28. He loved to —— the manners of the wealthy.
30. We —— work at five o'clock.
32. —— is my cousin.
33. An —— is a kind of donkey.

Public School Praised.

Miss Mary McSkimmon, when asked what kept her in the profession, answered with enthusiasm: "In teaching we are always dealing with youth. We are immersed in oceans of it. We know the joy of being with children who are not looking backward but forward, children who are asking and looking above them at the moon, the stars and the beauty all around them."

Dr. George D. Strayer of Columbia university put the answer with force in a single sentence.

"I stay in the teaching profession because I am serving the greatest cause there is in the world—the cause of free public education."

Miss Ida C. Iversen, of Los Angeles, a member of the executive committee of the education association expressed her belief that "you get the best time teaching because you feel the joy of service." She explained:

"I think it is the character contribution that makes teaching so attractive. You feel you are contributing to the total of human welfare, that it is something done for all time. Then there is the contact with the children, the attraction of young life."

Cultural Value.

Miss Cornelia S. Adair of Richmond, Va., treasurer of the association, told of four or five offers of other work which had been made her in the last year. Thought of the children has kept her from accepting them, she said. She felt she would miss her close daily contacts with young people which she has as teacher of English in a junior high school.

Apart from the appeal of the children teaching as a profession is growing more attractive, Miss Adair declared, adding that "the new trend of teacher participation in school policy gives teachers a share in making the wheels go around."

Cultural opportunities which accompany teaching makes it a desirable walk of life, George R. Archibald, secretary of the Salt Lake City Teachers Association, asserted. Mr. Archibald spoke of the time which teaching allows for travel, for recreation, for study.

"It permits one to work with the better side of human nature," he said. "It gives one a chance to help better society. In short, the work is congenial."

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School and Business.

S. D. Shakland, secretary of the association's department of superintendence, confided that he had turned aside from a hotel man's career to take up teaching. He had been manager of a large hotel at an eastern resort when he was offered a position as a natural science teacher and took up the work.

Successive appointments in administrative positions held him there. Then came a time when he was persuaded to go into the Ohio legislature; he went in and served for five years, but he gave up politics. An offer to establish a girls' school under a trust fund brought him back into teaching.

Not alone to the man or woman whose name has become widely known in the professions does the appeal of teaching make itself strongly felt. Miss Laura E. Hanna, a teacher in an Indianapolis grade school, pressed for her reasons gave again the thought expressed by those of the association's officers, saying:

"I like to be with children, to help them. It's a place where one can do a lot of good work. I have stayed many years in one community, so I have had the happiness of seeing children develop. That's why, if I were starting over, I would do just the same thing."

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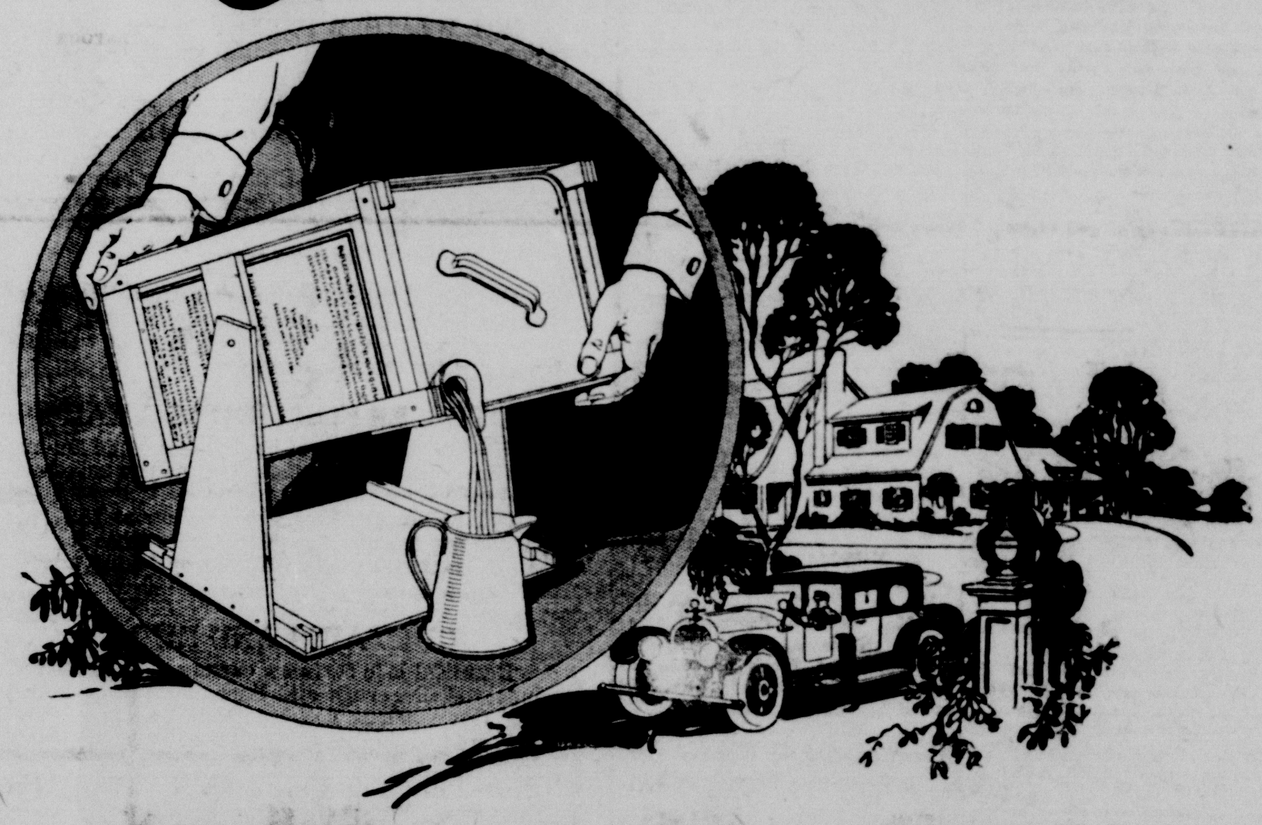

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By conserving all the power your engine develops, Polarine increases the mileage you get per gallon of gasoline used.

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DOESN'T THAT FEEL GREAT? MAKES YOU FEEL ALL FRESH AND CLEAN INSIDE, EH SANDY?
I DON'T SEE WHY SO MANY KIDS HATE TO BRUSH THEIR TEETH - IT TASTES ALMOST LIKE CANDY DOESN'T IT? I BET "DADDY" WARBUCKS WILL BE S'PRISED WHEN I TELL HIM ALL ABOUT THIS -
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FOR SALE—6-room modern house in fine condition; also garage. Located on paved street two blocks from square. See J. D. Richey, Nodaway Valley Bank. 5tf

FOR SALE or trade—2 lots in Roelofson tract on small property in Maryville. Address Box 183. J-29-tf.

FOR SALE—Rumley oil pull engine 30-60, and separator, 36-60; good condition for work. Chas. W. Hilsenbeck, 8 miles south city. Farmers 23-19. 8-tf.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Duroc gilts. Will farrow July and August. Priced to sell. Lawrence Ogden, Hanamo 50 LR. 3-10

FOR SALE—Two 66 feet lots, 3 blocks east of Hospital; title clear. Inquire of Mrs. R. C. Dodds, Bolckow, Missouri. 6-8

FOR SALE—Special Bargain, 3-acre tract and 4-room house; good barn; lots of fruit; good land well fenced and located; only $2,200, $1,000 cash. Yeo Bros., Hanamo 3255. 8-10

FOR SALE—Used McCormick binder; six-fot cut. Farmers 47-14. 7-9

FOR SALE—Gray Reed baby carriage; good condition; also new Perfection water heater, almost new. Mrs. Fred Bellows. 8-10*

MISCELLANEOUS

GET AWAY FROM THE HEAT. At 7:30 o'clock tonight 4,000 pounds of ice will be put in the pool. Come in and swim among the ice-bergs. SANITARY SWIMMING POOL. 8

WANTED—Good clean rags. Must be free from lint and buttons. Must be large pieces. Bring to this office. M28tf

FOR RENT FOR SEASON—Pasture on West Seventh St. J. T. Hays, 405 W. 12th St. 13-tf

FOR RENT—Basement under Henderson Shop. 209 N. Main. Hanamo 46. 12-tf.

FOR RENT—Modern dwelling. R. L. McDougal. 22-tf.

I am agent to sell stock in the new series of the Maryville Homestead and Loan Association. If you are wanting a good investment, be sure to see me. Hugh Strong. 30tf.

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light housekeeping. Hanamo 6638. 7-8*

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms on ground floor. Close in; inquire at 302 East Jenkins or call Hanamo 4622. July 7tf.

FOR RENT—Four strictly modern 4 to 7 room apartments, accessible to business center and Teachers' College. 14 rooms, best ever for rooming house. Chas. Hyslop. 8-tf.

WANTED—A girl. New York Candy Kitchen. J-6-tf

WANTED—Four or five room house or apartment. Would lease for year. Hanamo 3579. Mr. Jones. 6-8

DRIVING to Long Beach, Calif. Want gentleman to go along and share expenses. J. T. Goff, Hanamo 3638. 6-8*

WHEN YOU ARE READY to vaccinate your hogs, call at my office and talk with me. No extra charge for trip when vaccinating. R. L. WOHLFORD, Veterinarian, Maryville, Mo. Phone Farmers 160-11; Hanamo 479. 8-10

LOST—South Bend open-face silver watch. Reward, Leave at this office. 8-9*

NEWS OF MISSOURI CITIES AND TOWNS

Mountain Grove, Mo., July 6.—Present indications are that there will be a large apple crop in the Ozarks this year. Although the late frosts did some damage, there is plenty of fruit to produce a heavy yield. Recent rains have been a favorable factor.

Caruthersville, Mo., July 6.—Business men of this city have started reorganization of the Retail Merchants' Association, which went out of existence a long time ago. Civic leaders have pointed out the need of co-operation in many activities, as there is now no chamber of commerce.

St. Louis, Mo., July 6.—The State of Illinois has just obtained the Monks Mound property, northeast of this city, for a State park. There is one large mound and fifty smaller ones, all the work of prehistoric people. The land, covering an area of 114 acres, cost $52,119.

Poplar Bluffs, Mo., July 6.—October 20 to 24 has been selected as the tentative date for the Butler County Fair. It is believed a better exhibit of farm products can be obtained this late in the season, although there has been much agitation for an earlier date.

Carthage, Mo., July 6.—A milk sanitation ordinance has been passed here, this city being the eleventh Missouri municipality to thus safeguard its citizens from impure milk. Columbia, Excelsior Springs, Kirksville and Jefferson City have taken similar action in the past 18 months. A program along this line is being carried out by the State Board of Health.

Wellston, Mo., July 6.—A woman carried off honors as the fastest nail driver at the All-Wellston picnic held at Ramona Park. Mrs. William Fitzgerald drove five 10-penny nails in 15 seconds, including the time it took to replace the hammer which she broke with her mighty strokes.

In Canada.

The excited citizen rushed into the little bank and slapped a $50 bill down upon the cashier's window ledge.

"Gimme two cases!" he cried.

"What?" asked the astonished cashier. "What—two cases of what?"

"Two cases——this ought to cover it.' '

"What sort of a place do you think this is? And of what do you want two cases?"

"Anything—I'll drink it, whatever it is. I saw a sign outside that said '4 per cent!' "—Exchange.

New York, July 8.—Everything to which Tammany and the New York Democratic political machine turns its hands becomes a boom for Al Smith for President.

A year ago vociferous admirers of the governor were trying to shout him into the Democratic nomination against an adamant majority in Madison Square Garden. The election is over, the Garden is gone but the Smith boom remains.

New York City is in the throes of a pre-election mayorality fight, but when Al Smith came to town to lend his counsel Saturday, the affair at Tammany Hall turned into one big "Smith for President" celebration. The organization's candidate for mayor of the city was forgotten in the glamor of the organization's candidate for the White House in 1928.

Market Report

ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK

Hogs

Receipts 9,000; market 25c to 40c lower.

Top, $13.50.

Bulk, $13.15 to $13.45.

Cattle

Receipts 3,300; market irregular.

Bulk of steers, $8 to $12.40.

Top, $13.

Cows and heifers, $3.25 to $12.

Calves, $5 to $11.

Stockers and feeders, $5.25 to $8.35.

Sheep

Receipts 600; market steady.

Lambs, $13.75 to $14.75.

Ewes, $6 to $7.25.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

Cattle

Receipts 14,000; market slow.

Hogs

Receipts 13,500; market 40c to 50c lower; top $13.90.

Sheep

Receipts 3,000; market steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 7,000; market 25c lower.

Bulk, $13.25 to $13.50.

Heavies, $13.35 to $13.55.

Butchers, $13.20 to $13.50.

Lights, $13 to $13.50.

Pigs, $12.50 to $12.75.

Cattle

Receipts 16,000; market, best steady, others unevenly lower.

Prime fed steers, $11.25 to $13.

Dressed beef steers, $8.25 to $11.35.

Western steers, $7.85 to $12.

Southern steers, $4.50 to $11.

Cows, $2.75 to $8.25.

Heifers, $4.50 to $11.30.

Stockers and feeders, $5 to $9.15.

Bulls, $3.25 to $5.

Calves, $5 to $9.50.

Sheep.

Receipts 6,000; market steady.

Spring lambs, $13.25 to $15.25.

Yearlings, $8 to $12.50.

Ewes, $3.50 to $7.

Wethers, $6 to $8.25.

Stockers and feeders, $11.25 to $13.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK.

Cattle

Receipts 7,500; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 12,000; market 15c to 25c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 11,500; market steady, 15c to 25c lower.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 19,000; market, slow, uneven, 10c to 25c off.

Cattle

Receipts 12,000; market very slow and uneven.

Sheep

Receipts 12,000; market steady.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.52½.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, $1.09½ to $1.10; No. 3 yellow, $1.08 to $1.08½; No. 3 mixed, $1.03 to $1.03¼; No. 4 mixed, $1.00¾; No. 2 white, $1.08; No. 3 white, $1.07¼.

OATS—No. 3 white, 45c to 47c; No. 4 white, 45c to 45¾c.

HAY—Timothy, $6.85 to $8; clover, $19 to $26.75.

BARLEY—92c.

Chicago Grain Table.

	open	high	low	close
WHEAT				
July	$1.48½	$1.50¾	$1.47⅜	$1.49¾
Sept.	$1.45¾	$1.48¾	$1.43¾	$1.45⅝
Dec.	$1.46¾	$1.49¾	$1.45	$1.46⅞
CORN—				
July	$1.00	$1.03	$ .99½	$1.02¾
Sept.	$1.04¾	$1.07¼	$1.03¾	$1.06⅞
Dec.	$ .88	$ .88½	$ .86¾	$ .87⅜

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 133 cars; hard, unchanged to 2c higher; red, 2c to 3c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.50 to $1.58; No. 3 hard, $1.48 to $1.56; No. 2 red, $1.48 to $1.55; No. 3 red, $1.48 to $1.52.

CORN—Receipts 9 cars; market 1½c to 3½c higher; No. 2 mixed, $1.01½ to $1.03½; No. 3 mixed, $1.00½ to $1.03; No. 2 yellow, $1.08 to $1.09½; No. 2 white, $1.02½ to $1.04½.

OATS—Receipts 4 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 red, 48c; No. 2 white, 49½c to 50½c.

RYE—No. 2, 92c to 94c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $8.50 to $10; timothy, No. 1, $14.50 to $15.50; alfalfa, choice, $19 to $20.

Eggs, 30½c; seconds, 25c.

Butter, 45c to 46c; packing, 26c.

Hens, 20c; turkeys and young toms, 23c; broilers, 27c; ducks, 14c; geese, 10c.

Chicago Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, July 8.—Influential bulls boosted grain futures to a sharply higher close on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

Buying in wheat was based on the apprehensive crop situation over the spring belt.

Lighter receipts and good demand for cash grain sent corn soaring. Strength in wheat also was a feature.

Oats followed other grains to a higher finish.

LOCAL MARKETS

Heavy hens, per lb	18c
Springs, per lb	25c
Leghorn springs, per lb	21c
Light hens, per lb	15c
Cocks, per lb	7c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Eggs, per doz.	25c
Cream, per lb	36c
Geese, per lb	8c

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT KANSAS CITY

By Kansas City Livestock Exchange.

Prices for fed cattle are advancing and grass fat cattle prices are sagging. Fed cattle are scarce and indications are that they will show a further decrease and rule still higher in price. The advance has been expected for several months but not until last week did the real upward movement get under way. This week recorded new high price levels for the year and in the case of 1,631 pound steers, selling up to $13, the highest price in four years for extreme heavy weights. Classes that show enough feed to take off some of the grass sap are in on the advance, and the better kinds of straight grass fat steers sell readily, and doubtless will be called on to fill in the shortage of fed steers.

Receipts in the two days this week, 36,000 cattle, and 3,000 calves were the largest of the year. The bulk of this supply came from Kansas and Oklahoma pastures. As long as the trade maintains present activity the runs will continue liberal. In quality and condition most grass cattle are two weeks earlier than normal, and will show further improvement as the season advances.

Monday fed cattle ruled strong to 15 cents higher and today they were 10 to 25 cents up. Most of this kind sold at $10.50 to $12.50, tops ranging up to $13, on both medium and heavy weights. The better classes of Kansas wintered steers sold at $10.25 to $11.50, and short fed native steers brought $9.50 to $10.50. Some steers fed corn on grass brought $10.50 to $12. The better classes of one season Kansas and Oklahoma pastured steers brought $7.75 to $8.75, and common kinds sold as low as $4.75. The big packers in Kansas City have doubled their killing forces in the past ten days and are making large purchases of fat cattle.

Though prices for butcher cattle weakened some on Monday they were stronger today and net changes were comparatively small. Large demand prevails for grass fat classes, and fed kinds are in such limited supply that values have not been fully tested. The bulk of the grass fat cows is bringing $4.25 to $5.50, top $7.50, and grass heifers $6 to $8.25. Veal calves are 50 cents lower for the week, top $9.50.

Stockers and feeders are in active demand at firm prices. Inquiry is coming from all sections of the corn belt and indications are that July demand will be above normal. Average quality remains plain. The bulk of the thin steers is bringing $5.75 to $7. Some choice 1,114 pound Oklahoma feeders sold up to $9.15.

The hog market, after reaching the high point of the year on Monday with best hogs selling up to $14.25, broke 25 to 40 cents today. This is the first material decline the trade has uncovered in the past three weeks, and was caused by order buyers at eastern markets making small purchases. The top price was $13.85, bulk $13.60 to $13.80. Light lights sold at $13.40 to $13.75; packing sows, $12.25 to $12.40, and stock hogs and pigs, $12.50 to $13. Receipts continued below normal.

Though not quotably higher the trade in sheep and lambs was active at strong prices. Lamb offerings were principally natives that sold at $13.75 to $14.25. No western's arrived. Some Colorado ewes brought $6.50, and Louisiana wethers $7 to $7.25.

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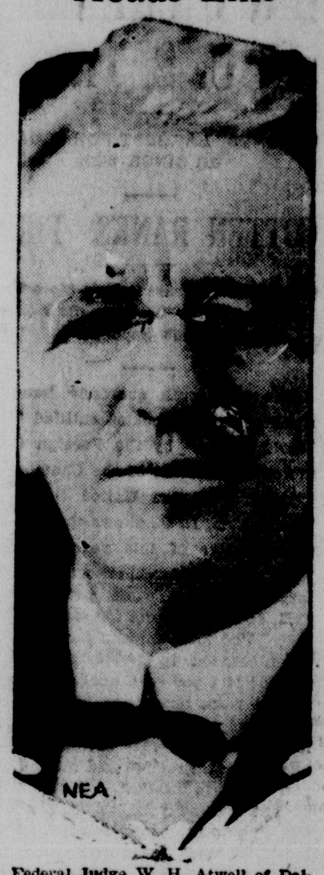

Federal Judge W. H. Atwell of Dallas, Tex., will be named grand exaled ruler of the B. P. O. E. at the national convention in Portland, Ore., the week of July 13.

Jail Blasts Strange Marital Agreements

Bloomfield, Mo., July 8.—Southeastern Missouri is viewing two romances blasted by five months in jail.

The four participants are living in different towns and their vowed intentions of "carrying on" in their stronge love pacts after the jail sentences, has been blasted.

Last February Mr. and Mrs. Curt Wallace, farmers, met Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cravens. Without quarrels or wrangling the two women decided they had become bored with their mates, and each discovered she had fallen in love with the other's husband. The husbands agreed on the same thing.

Without the customary divorce and re-marriage the two pairs were split and Mrs. Wallace started living with Cravens while Mrs. Cravens started living with Wallace. Wallace's mother-in-law, however, reported the weird martial quadrangle and the law stepped in.

Each was sentenced to five months in jail, and as they started their jail sentence they announced divorces would immediately follow and there would be marriages.

Last week all four were released from jail. No word passed between them.

Today finds Mrs. Wallace employed here, Wallace living with relatives in Kinder, Mrs. Cravens working at Puxico while Cravens has obtained a job at Dexter.

Lebanon, Mo., July 6.—Several thousand full-grown trout have been released in the Bennet's Spring branch of the Niangua River. A total of 25,000 will be placed in the stream by the State Game and Fish Department. A limit of ten fish a day has been placed on anglers. Any fish under eight inches in length is to be thrown back into the river.

Read the Want Ads.

July 8-15

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The County Court of Nodaway County, Mo., will on the 18th day of July 1925, will receive sealed bids on the following work. A ditch and two fills, located on the south side of section 21 Township 66 Range 36 two and one half miles East of Clearmont, Mo. Said ditch to be 400 feet long and an average depth of 6 feet and to contain about 1600 cubic yards. The fills to contain about 500, and 1000 cubic yards respectively.

Also a ditch and fill located in section 11, Township 64 Range 38 ditch about 150 feet long and to contain about 700 yards. Fill to contain about 1000 cubic yards.

Bids will be received up to 2 o'clock on the day of letting and will be opened at 2 o'clock, a certified check will be required of each bidder in an ammount of 10 per cent of bid.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Highway Engineer at the Court House in Maryville.

The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Said letting to be at the Coutt House in Maryville, Missouri.

By Order Nodaway County Court.

FRED W. SMITH
County Clerk.

BIG INCREASE IN U. S. TRADE

EXPORTS LARGEST FOR QUARTER SINCE 1921.

COTTEN RANKS FIRST

Shipments To Great Britain More Than To Any Other Country—Raw Silk Heads Imports.

The eighteenth quarterly issue of a sixteen page booklet entitled "Our World Trade," by the Foreign Commerce Department of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States at Washington, D. C., shows that for the first quarter of this year, January, February, and March, exports were the largest for the same period since 1921, and the imports the largest since 1920. The total exports for the quarter amounted to $1,270,751,000.00, a gain of 15.4 per cent above the value for the same quarter of 1924, attributed largely to gains made by our five leading exports—raw cotton, automobiles, wheat, gasoline and refined copper. Imports totalled $1,065,391,000.00 or 12.3 per cent larger than a year ago, due to increased receipts of rubber, silk, wool, hides and skins, furs and tobacco, some at higher rates.

This information has been surveyed by D. A. Caldwell, secretary of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce.

Unmanufactured cotton leads the exports, being 27 per cent of the total with automobiles and parts second at 5 per cent.

Our exports to Great Britain are the largest of any single country, being 22 per cent of the total, with Germany second with 11 per cent and Canada third with 10 per cent. In all, seventy countries received exports from the United States in amounts of from $500,000 up to $283,891,000, with an additional $8,524,000 scattered among countries not listed.

The imports are headed by raw silks, 8 per cent, with coffee second at 7 per cent and cane sugar third at 6.8 per cent. Rubber is fourth at 6.2 per cent.

Ten per cent of our imports come from Great Britain, with Canada second at 9.5 per cent and Japan third with 8 per cent. Germany ranks eleventh in imports to this country. Our imports come from sixty-seven countries, in amounts ranging from $517,000,000 to $109,222,000, with $9,414,000 divided among countries not listed.

HAZEL DELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Rowlett were Maryville visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Daise spent Sunday with Charles Hicks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliga Rowlett and sons were Sunday visitors at Arthur Aromontroth of Mound City.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mowry, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Randall spent Saturday and Sunday at St. Joseph.

Leslie Mowry, John Tunnell and Emmett Early left Saturday for Colorado where they will expect to work in the harvest fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Dickenfet of Kansas City at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hayworth. They returned to their home Monday and Viola Hayworth went home with them to spend a few days.

Golf Scores.

Other results of the first round of class B in the 18-hole medal play tournament at the Country Club:

O. K. Bovard 102, Chester Lyle 128.

Uel W. Lamkin 108, O. M. Watkins 109.

Miss Marjory Fitzmaurice of St. Joseph came last night to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sims, 403 W. 2nd street, for a few days.

4.2 Per Cent Farms in State Have Silos

Preliminary Census Shows 40 Per Cent of Farms Are Equipped With Separators.

The state government farm census by the Missouri State Board of Agriculture (in co-operation with U. S. Department of Agriculture), started during June by the county and township assessors, is already showing preliminary information.

The averages of the returns received to date give advance indications on 28 questions, excepting cotton acreages. The surprising showing is on cream separators (not investigated since 1921), there now being 40 separators for each 100 farms, 40% of our farmers having butterfat marketers.

The silo survey shows 42 silos per thousand farms, or 4.2% of Missouri farms with watchtowers of prosperity. There are 12 auto trucks per each 100 farms or 12 per cent.

There are 247 chickens per Missouri farm at this time of year. The dairy cow investigation shows an average of 3½ milk cows per farm; other cattle 5 1-4; sheep 4 1-3; hogs 15 head.

The crop columns indicate these averages per farm: Corn 31.85 acres; wheat 8.19 acres; oats 9.22 acres. The pasture per farm is 46.82 acres approximately equal total of corn, wheat and oats (49.26 acres). These averages are subject to later revision under completer farm census.

Monkey and Man Have A Common Ancestry

Scientist Abandons Old Idea—Says There Is No Direct "Missing Link."

By KEITH JONES
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
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London, July 8.—Scientists have abandoned the idea that man descended from monkeys. Instead, according to Professor E. N. Fallaize, secretary of the Royal Anthropological Institute in an exclusive interview with the United Press, they are proceeding on the theory that man may have come from an ancestor prior to both monkey and man, but a common ancestor of both.

"It has been some time since scientists in general gave up the search for a 'missing link' as the explanation of the gap between man and monkey" he said, "and they have been looking for fossil remains which historically precedes both man and monkey yet embody the characteristics of both.

"In the recent discovery of a fossil known as the "Sivaphithecus" uncovered in the foothills of the Himalaya mountains in India, we have indications that such a type of common ancestor to both, did exist. It is too early to make any pronouncement but further search may uncover conclusive substantiation of this theory.

"We no longer believe that man evolved in successive stages from the monkey up through the Java man, the Heidelberg man, the Pilysdown man and so up to the present day man of the civilized world as we know him.

"There is no direct connection—no missing link—between monkey and man.

"The monkey is a monkey, has always been so and will remain so until the species perish from the face of the earth."

Professor Fallaize doubts that the present type of man wil lsurvive as he is, pointing that the Neanderthal and other types of primitive men perished when conditions surrounding them changed, or offshoots with peculiar adaptability to these conditions appeared.

Fallaize believed firmly in evolution. He points out that even today evolution is working. Men's teeth and eyes are not as sound as they used to be.

"Gradually the present characteristics of the dominant race are changing,' he said. "Whether it is an adaptation which will make for our survival under changed conditions of existence or whether it makes for their subjugation and extinction by another divergent branch of the human race yet to come, only the centuries will tell."

Yale Star Turns "Tutor"

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Mrs. C. A. McCoppin Heads Local W. C. T. U.

Is Chosen President At Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Other Officers of Organization Elected.

Mrs. C. A. McCoppin was chosen president of the Maryville chapter of the W. C. T. U., at the meeting held at the M. E. Church, South, yesterday afternoon. Vice-presidents were chosen from each of the five Protestant churches with the exception of the Presbyterian and one from this church will be chosen later.

Mrs. R. A. Mitchell was chosen vice-president of the organization from the M. E. Church, South, Mrs. Elmer Swanson from the Christian Church, Mrs. R. S. Braniger from the First M. E. Church, and Mrs. Ova Griffin from the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Ed Hamlin was chosen secretary of the organization and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, treasurer. Mrs. W. A. Miller was chosen as chairman of a committee to encourage the study of the Bible in the public schools. Mrs. T. J. Williams was chosen as superintendent of the study of temperance in Sunday schools.

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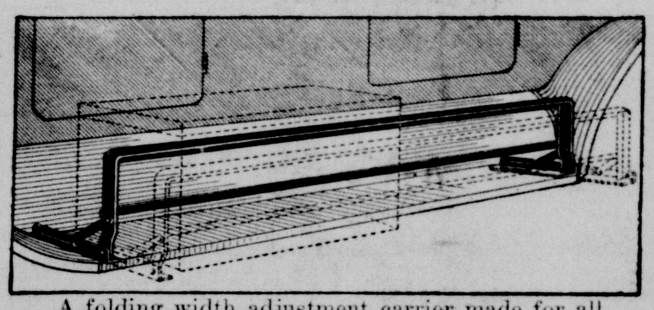

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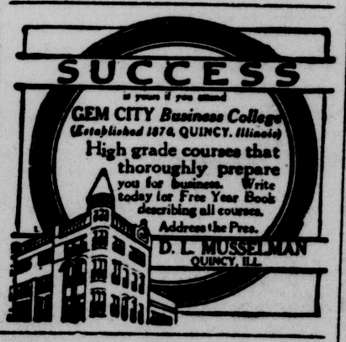
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Saturday, July 11—Owen Moore, and Marguerite De La Motte in "EAST OF BROADWAY." From the Saturday Evening Post story, "The Tropic of Capricorn," by Richard Connell.

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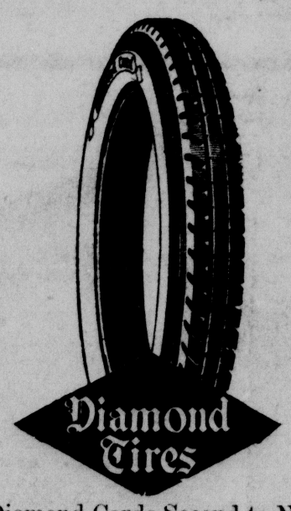

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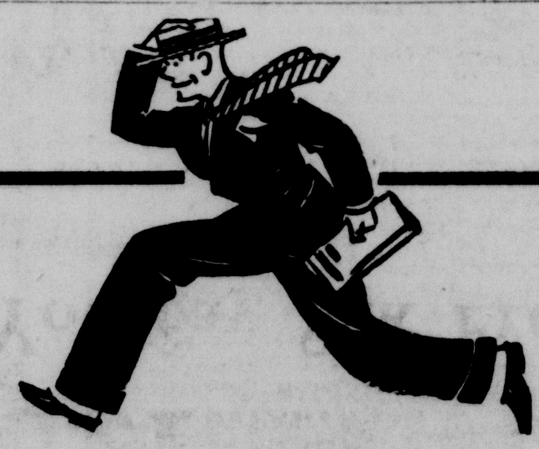

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